

REMARKS


In the Action, claims 3 and 4 are indicated as being allowed and the specification and drawings are objected to on formal matters.

The present amendment cancels the non-elected claims 1 and 2 and amends claim 3 to provide proper antecedent basis for the upper surface of the lower mold as suggested on page 3 of the Action. The Abstract of the Invention is also revised in the manner suggested in the Action.

The Action indicates that Figures 5 and 6 should be designated as prior art. However, Figure 5 refers to the present invention and is not prior art. Applicants presume that the Action intended to refer to Figures 6A and 6B which are now revised to identify the figures as prior art. The figure numbers are also identified as Fig. 6A and Fig. 6B. Figures 3-5 are also revised to identify the figures as Figs. 3A, 3B, Figs. 4A-4D and Figs. 5E, 5F. The corrected formal drawings are being submitted concurrently with this amendment. Approval of these drawing changes is requested.

In view of the amendments to claim 3, the specification and the drawings, allowance of the claims is requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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Fig. 3A

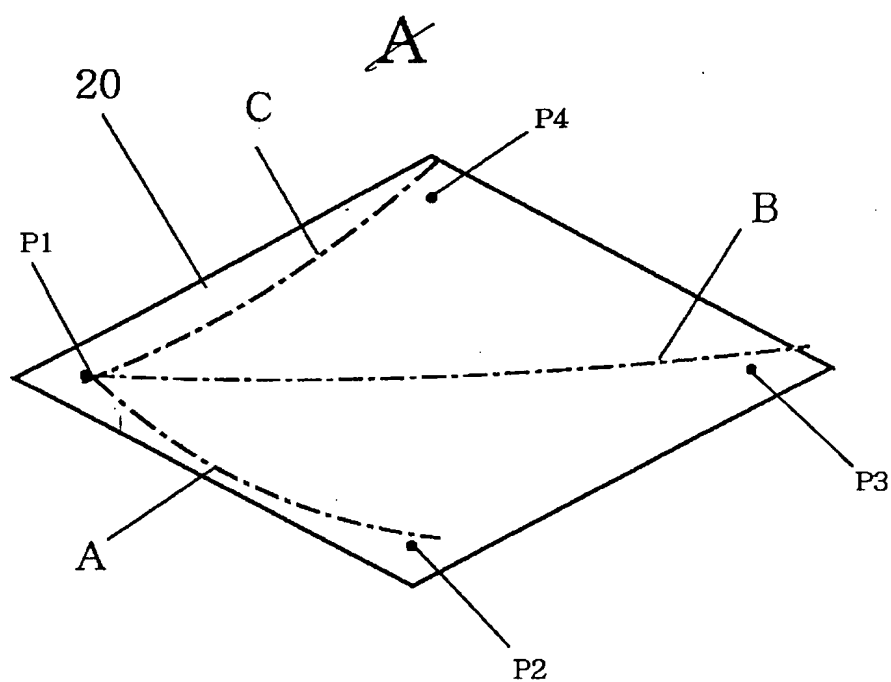
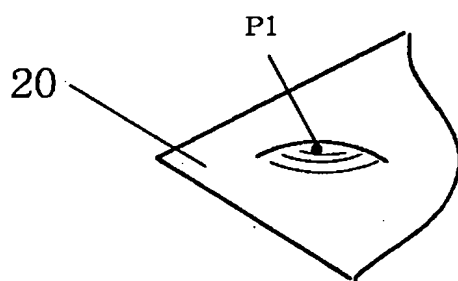


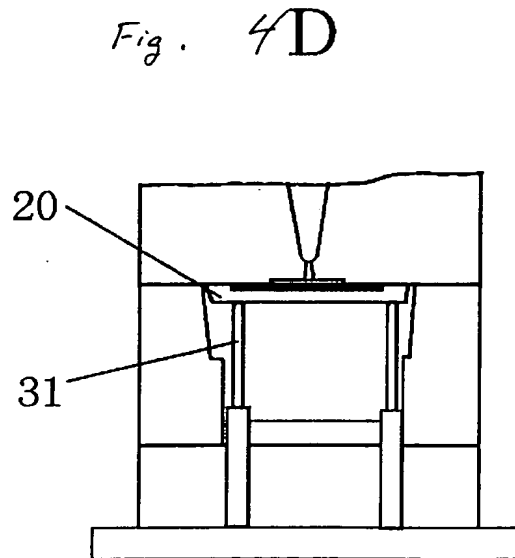
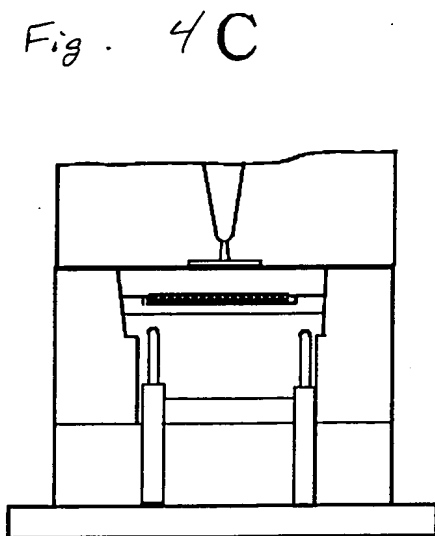
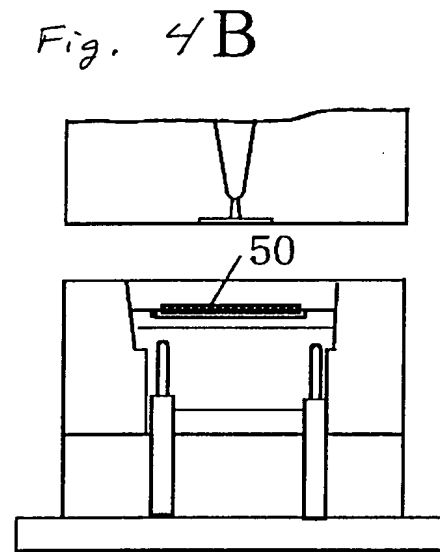
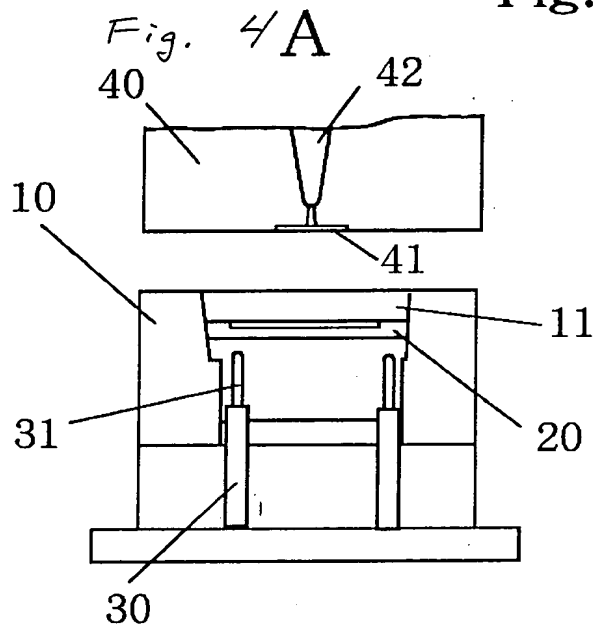
Fig. 3B

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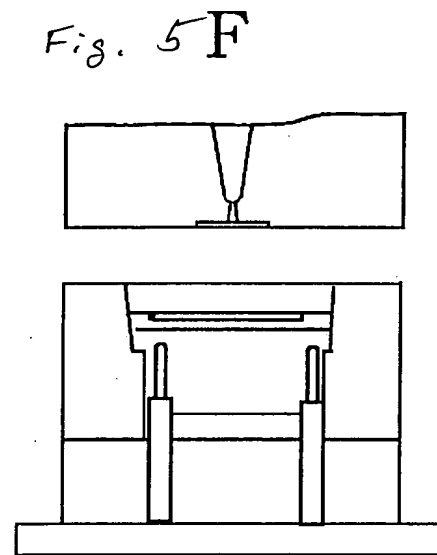
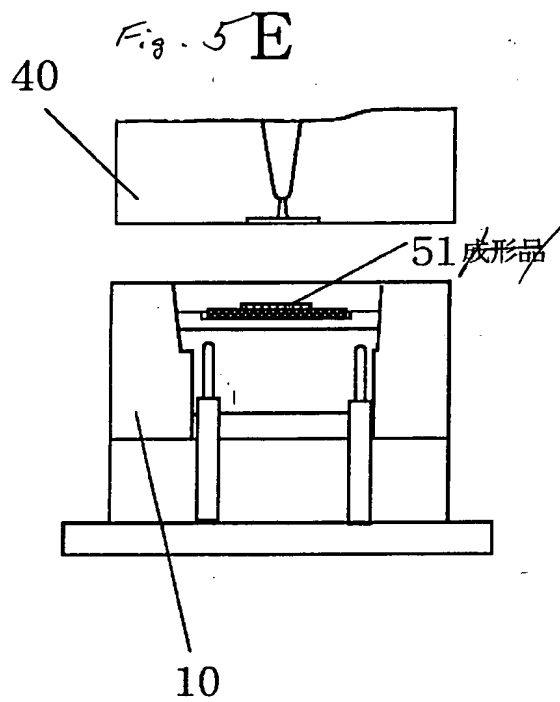


~~Fig. 4~~





~~Fig. 5~~





Annotated Sheet Showing Changes

Fig. 6A

Prior Art

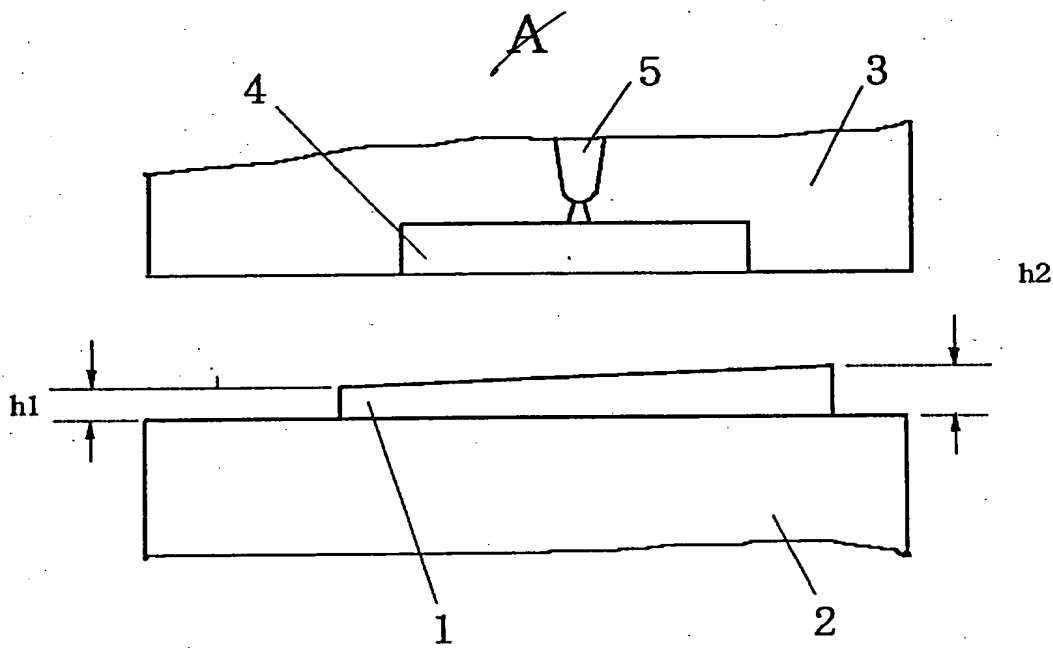


Fig. 6B

Prior Art

